

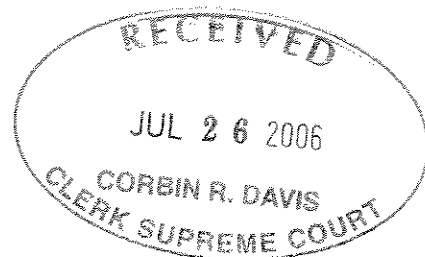
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**It has become evident over the years that Michigan's higher courts are an arm of the prosecutor's office and guilty of extreme political correctness.**

**Ask yourself how many criminal cases are reversed on appeal and how many are denied by Michigan's high courts. Probably 5% (if that many) of all appellate cases are sent back for retrial, and who decides the merit of these cases? Conveniently, it is their law clerks with hidden agendas.**

**The Supreme Court should abolish lesser-included charges. Example, when prosecutors fear that a jury may be leaning toward acquittal, they may now ask the trial court to allow them to instruct the jury on lesser-included charges (thereby ensuring a conviction). I maintain that if prosecutors have enough evidence to bring charges, they should prosecute on those charges alone. Why should prosecutors get two bites of the apple? If they want lesser-included charges, then they should bring all charges at the warrant stage. If not defense attorneys have no chance to defend against late lesser-included charges when they are brought at the very end of the trial.**



**Our Michigan Supreme Court, about a dozen years ago, indicated that they would like to do away with lesser-included charges and they put the courts on notice. Why did this not happen? Did it have anything to do with the prosecutors' conviction rate? Who knows?**

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